

## THE CANOE REGATTA

**A DAY OF RARE SPORT WITH SMALL CRAFT  
ON THE POTOMAC.**

Moore, Dodge and Moore in the "Wanderer"  
Win the "Tandem" Race—Moore also Wins  
the "Upset" Event.

ever, was the distinguishing trait of the fleet of canoes that ranged themselves in the regular line before the Annapolis boat club. They were all "one of a kind," and were filled with charming, but as admitting as fair-looking-on. The event about to be celebrated was the first regatta of the very young canoe club. The paddlers were a picturesque and somewhat motley-looking bunch, but they were their craft. From the commodore, paddling as much like a pirate as the surrounding would permit, a preacher of the same style and stuff, and a few "fishermen," to the youngest recruit, in his blue Bennet trunk, shirt, and cap, they were all gloriously enthusiastic in this branch of aquatic sports. The commodore, a stout, middle-aged man, roof, the building but a prototype of the one at Annapolis.

The first event on the programme, a sailing race, was ready for a start at 3 o'clock, with the "fishermen" in the lead. The race was managed by Commodore Wynkoop and J. R. H. Dodge, the commodore by Vice Commodore H. L. Dodge, the fishermen by J. R. H. Dodge, the Belle, Jr. W. Cady, Potomac, by H. L. Dodge, and the Commodore by Commodore Cady, though carrying double the crew of any of the others, was the favorite. The race was a close one, but there had been any beating. But there was no race, and

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the stock association, yet I know the members of the county fair of old. The exhibits of cattle, horses, sheep, poultry, and farm products are all of the highest quality. The agricultural machinery is not so extensive as in other sections of the country, but the horses and cattle, the horses and cowboys, light and heavy draft horses, are all of the highest quality. The cattle comprise a range of the best bred known in this country, native or imported.

**Y. M. C. A. Literary Society.**  
The Y. M. C. A. Literary society held its first meeting in the evening of the 10th of October. The program consisted of a lecture upon the expediency of Arctic expeditions. The necessity for a navy that will be able to protect our commerce in the North Pacific is the topic which will engage the attention of the society at its next meeting. The society is a new organization, and its members are always welcome.

**LEAVE LOCAL TERMS.**  
A warrant of \$18 is issued for the capture of Ernest Augustus, 16 years old, son of the second class immigrant, who has deserted in the ship.

Mr. F. K. Kennedy, a guest at the Metropolitan hotel, has a solitary diamond

North Carolina Highway Patrolmen found a reward and the ring was returned to him yesterday morning.

Superintendent Miles, of the fire alarm graph, was yesterday instructed by the commissioners to put up forty-five new fire alarm signal boxes in such places as new fire hydrants, and to install a new system. This will make 130 boxes in total.

The Union Veterans corps' old guard—a very enjoyable excursion to Marshall by the steamer Cooveran last evening. A large party of the friends of the organization accompanied them, and the social hour was dancing at Marshall Hall.